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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: General: NPIC Survey Follow-up
Specific: DD/I Request for Assistance in Implementing
Recommendations Regarding NPIC

1. I met with the Inspector General on the afternoon of 12 August to discuss with him a tentative itinerary for the WE Survey trip. While I was with him Paul Borel, Assistant DD/I, called and asked if the Inspector General would be willing to lend a member of the NPIC Survey team to the DD/I to assist in the implementation of the various recommendations concerning NPIC. Mr. Borel said there was no one in the DD/I's office who knew anything about NPIC.

2. Mr. Earman asked Mr. Borel why he did not use John Vance. Borel replied that Vance could not be spared from his intensive involvement with CHIVE. Mr. Earman told Borel that both [] and [] are firmly committed to the WE Division Survey, already long deferred because of having had to survey NPIC, and neither could be made available.

3. Mr. Earman took advantage of the opportunity to give Borel the IG's reaction to the NPIC responses. Mr. Earman said he was disappointed with the responses. In several instances, it was difficult to decide whether NPIC was concurring or nonconcurring. In general, the responses were defensive and evasive. Borel made no reply to Mr. Earman's comments.



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